

# Notice of Exemption

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County Clerk  
County of: \_\_\_\_\_  
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From: (Public Agency): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Location - Specific:

Project Location - City: \_\_\_\_\_ Project Location - County: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and HCP LS Redwood City, LLC

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: \_\_\_\_\_
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: \_\_\_\_\_

Reasons why project is exempt:

These CEQA exemptions are set forth the State CEQA Guidelines, 14 CCR §§ 15000, et seq, Sections 15301 (Existing Facilities), 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction), 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land), and 15311 (Accessory Structures). This is because the project involves the repair of existing levees with no expansion of the existing use and with the same purpose of the existing levees. Additionally, the project involves a relatively minor amount of fill (6,050 cubic yards of net new fill imported) and does not involve the removal of mature, scenic trees, or grading in a waterway. Finally, the project includes the construction of a wall that is 2-4 feet in height on top of or behind existing walls, which is a minor structure.

Lead Agency  
Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Area Code/Telephone/Extension: \_\_\_\_\_

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project?  Yes  No

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Lead Agency  Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.  
Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: \_\_\_\_\_